



Solicitation Information
April 29, 2013

Addendum #1

RFP# 7461411

TITLE: ARRA - DATA SCAN FOR CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO AGE FIVE

OPENING DATE AND TIME: May 8, 2013 at 11:30 AM (ET)

The following are vendor questions with state responses:

1. You state that the primary goal of the project is to increase our understanding of the demographics and develop a more complete profile of the status of our state's youngest children (page 4). Are we correct in assuming that other aspects of the early learning data system such as collecting information on early childhood educators and the quality of early childhood services are not part of this particular RFP's scope of work?

Answer: Yes, that is a correct assumption. The goal of this project is to focus on the early learning children, not educators and services.

2. Does a data platform already exist which constitutes the "Early Learning Data System?" If not, do you expect one to be created for this project?

Answer: As part of our overall project, we have a team that is currently designing and building the Early Learning Data System. We do not expect that system to be created for this project.

3. On page 4 you request a separate sealed Cost Proposal. On page 8 you make it look as if the Cost Proposal is part of the Technical Proposal. Does the 15 page allowance for proposals include the Cost Proposal?

Answer: The cost proposal should be separate and is not a factor in the 15 page allowance.

NO FURTHER QUESTIONS WILL BE ANSWERED.

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